

1 THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR
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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 \$10,800 IN U.S. CURRENCY, AND ANY
14 ACCRUED INTEREST,

15 Defendant.

CASE NO. C20-1742-JCC

ORDER

16 This matter comes before the Court on the United States' motion for entry of default
17 judgment of forfeiture (Dkt. No. 8). Having thoroughly considered the motion and the record, the
18 Court FINDS entry of default judgment appropriate for the following reasons:

- 19 • The United States properly served, by direct notice and publication, all potential
20 claimants to the above-captioned funds (*see* Dkt. Nos. 2, 4, 6, 6-1);
21 • No one has filed a claim to the funds or otherwise appeared in this case;
22 • On March 4, 2021, the Clerk of Court entered default against all potential
23 claimants (Dkt. No. 7); and,
24 • The funds, and any interest that has accrued at the established rate provided by
25 U.S.C. § 1961(a), constitute a sum certain.

26 The Court, accordingly, enters a default judgment of forfeiture, as follows:

1. The above-captioned funds, and any interest accrued herein at the established rate provided by 28 U.S.C. § 1961(a), are fully and finally forfeited, in their entirety, to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 981(a)(1)(C) and 981(a)(1)(A); hereafter, no right, title, or interest in the funds and any accrued interest shall exist in any other party; and,

2. The United States Marshals Service, and/or its agents and representatives, shall dispose of the funds and any accrued interest as permitted by governing law.

It is so ORDERED.

DATED this 12th day of March 2021.

John C. Conner

John C. Coughenour
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE